H. R. 309.

FEBRUARY 21, 1823.

Read twice, and ordered to lie on the table.

A BILL

To abolish the office of Measurer.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 4 of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, 2 from and after the thirtieth day of June next, the office of measurer, as now established by law, in the several collec-4 tion districts, be, and the same is hereby abolished; and the 5 powers and duties heretofore exercised and performed, by 6 the measurers, in the said districts, shall, from and after the 7 said thirtieth day of June, be exercised and performed, by 8 the inspectors; and such inspectors shall exercise said powers, and perform said duties and services, for the daily com-10 pensation allowed to inspectors for services in aid of the 11 customs. 12